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SUBJECT:PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO OAU SUMMIT AT KAMPALA

1. MOGADISCIO: PLEASE ARRANGE WITH SOMALI OFFICIALS FOR TRANSMISSION FOLLOWING PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT MOHAMMED SIAD BARRE DATED JULY 25 RPT 25.

2. BEGIN QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT,

IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE THAT I EXTEND THE GREETINGS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES TO THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY ON THE TWELFTH MEETING OF THE HEADS OF STATE AND OF GOVERNMENT OF THE OAU IN KAMPALA. THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THIS ORGANIZATION IN TWELVE SHORT YEARS DEMONSTRATE THE WISDOM AND FORESIGHT OF THE AFRICAN LEADERS WHO FOUNDED IT IN ADDIS ABABA IN 1963.

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WE SHARE THE DETERMINATION OF THE OAU TO SEARCH FOR MEANS
TO PROMOTE PEACE AND TO EXPRESS THE RIGHTS AND DIGNITY OF
MANKIND. WE LOOK FORWARD TO INCREASINGLY FRUITFUL RELATIONS
WITH THE OAU AND WITH ITS SEPARATE MEMBERS IN THE YEARS TO
COME.

SINCERELY,

GERALD R. FORD END QUOTE

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